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ALASKA HEARD FROM

Twenty-Five Men Back From Dawson City.

TERRIBLE TALES OF SUFFERING.

Starvation Threatening the People at Dawson City and at Fort Yukon—Many of Them Have Not a Month's Supply and None Can Be Procured Some of the Hardships Endured.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 29.—Twenty-five men arrived here yesterday on the City of Seattle direct from Dawson City. They were divided into two parties, the last one of which left Dawson Oct. 16. The party consisted of Thomas Magee, Sr.; Thomas Magee, Jr., of San Francisco; "Swift Water Bill" Gales, Joe Boyle, William Huskins, F. Eckert, H. Robertson, H. Raymond, Bert Nelson, John W. Brainer, W. H. Chambers, E. W. Pond, E. Ash, J. Gillispie, Thomas Wilson, P. McGraw, Jack Dalton, William Leak, Arthur Celine, Joseph Fairburn, J. Smith, T. Warren and Jim Stephenson. They came out over the Dalton trail. They are reported to have between them \$60,000 in drafts and gold dust.

All tell stories of a food shortage in Dawson that are almost a famine. The last person to leave Dawson was Jack Dalton. When Dalton left the steamers Alice and Bella had reached their destination. It is said that the Bella's cargo consisted of whisky and billiard balls. She brought no provisions. The Canadian government's mounted police chartered the Bella and gave all who wished a free pass to the Yukon. The Bella is reported to have left about Oct. 12 with 200 men.

According to the statements made by members of the Dalton party, there is liable to be trouble of the most serious kind this winter in Dawson. Billy Leak told one of the men in a party ahead of him, whom he met at Dyca, that all the people talk about at Dawson was the food famine. Men were gathering in groups and cursing with might and main the newcomers that were constantly coming into the Klondike loaded with scarcely any provisions. The mounted police were offering free transportation to the grub placers further down the Yukon river, at Fort Yukon, but to the countless hundreds who had labored hard all through the summer accumulating a grub stake, the prospect was miniviting to say the least.

The men figured that it would take all their earnings in gold to pay their living expenses at Fort Yukon during the winter and that in the spring they would not even have enough to pay passage money back to Dawson, to say nothing of purchasing enough food to subsist until they could get started again. To these poor fellows the offer of the mounted police was no better than the prospect at Dawson of being compelled to live on half rations until the supply boats could reach the diggings in the spring.

John W. Brainer, the United States mail carrier, who left Dawson Sept. 27, said:

"There is only one salvation for the miners who are now at Dawson City and that is for them to undertake the awful winter trip from Dawson to Fort Yukon, a distance of 400 miles. There is no food at Fort Yukon, there is none at Dawson, and just as sure as the stars shine terrible suffering will be the fate of the Dawson miner, unless he leaves there before spring. I will make my statement that when I left Dawson the men who were there had on an average four months' food supply. Some did not have a month's supply, some had four or five. The restaurant closed the night I left. It had been selling nothing but beefsteak, for which the hungry paid \$2.50."

"When the people realized that the boats would be unable to get up the river they knew that starvation threatened them and the great stampede began. The first to leave went to Fort Yukon. I guess there were about 10 in the party that left the first day. One boat that came up from Fort Yukon with several newspaper men aboard, among them Sam Wail and a Mr. McGilvry. They brought the news that the Hamilton had unloaded all of her cargo and tried to get over the bar light and failed in her efforts, thought she drew but two feet of water. This news increased the excitement and made the rush toward food centers all the greater.

On Sept. 14 Pert Nelson of Seattle and myself left Circle City and started to pole up the river to Dawson City, a distance of 300 miles. At the time we started from Circle City, the miners had about taken their departure. It took us 11 days and 3 hours to make the journey, arriving at Dawson September 26.

"Captain Hanson, with two Indians who had left Fort Yukon, beat us into Dawson by about one hour and a half. Hanson gathered the Dawson City miners together and made a short speech in which he advised all who did not have provisions to last the winter to go to civilization or try and reach points in the Yukon river country, where it was known that food could be secured. That night was the greatest one in the history of Dawson City. The miners, as soon as they heard the news, made hasty preparations to get out and nightfall saw the goldseekers and men who

can today sell out for many thousands of dollars, leaving by thousands for down-the-river or up-the-river points. The little steamer Kukuk, which was to make the trips from Dawson to Pelly, where the Jack Dalton trail starts, was brought into play. She was besieged by would-be passengers who offered as high as \$250 that they might be aboard

while she made her journey of 175 miles to Pelly. The Kukuk left Dawson on the afternoon of Sept. 27 with 12 or 15 passengers.

"The next day we made up a party, including Herbert Raymond of Seattle, Lert Nelson of Seattle, Harry Robertson of San Francisco and myself. We started up the river in a small river boat, the same one we had used in going from Circle City to Dawson. We left Dawson about 2 p. m. and was soon on our way up the river.

"While Jack Dalton left Dawson a couple of days later, the situation there was the same as it was when we left and I can tell you in a few words.

The only thing you could possibly buy was sugar, baking powder, spices, and some dried fruit. No flour, bacon or anything of that kind could be purchased from any of the stores; simply because they did not have them. So long as the stores had any provisions prices remained the same. I want to say that the stores treated the men all right under all circumstances, never advancing the prices, knowing a shortage was coming, and knew that they had but to ask for high prices and receive it. I can relate, however, an instance where a private party sold to a miner a sack of flour for \$75 and bacon at \$1 per pound."

H. A. Ferguson said: "The situation at Dawson was relieved by the exodus to the Fort Yukon. I doubt if there will be any actual starvation there, but there will be a shortage. The old-timers have provisions enough to carry them through. The stores are practically cleaned out. All they would sell was five pounds of sugar to the man. Flour could not be bought at all. One or two sacks were quickly picked up at \$200 per sack.

"Wages are still \$15 a day, but they are sure to go down to \$8 by next summer, and \$5 a day there is no more than \$1.50 a day outside."

The other passengers told about the same stories.

DISAPPEARANCE EXPLAINED.

Mrs. Pauline Merry of Chicago Was Murdered by Her Husband.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mrs. Pauline Merry from her home, at 50 Hope street, was solved yesterday afternoon by the confession of Thomas Hickey, who was arrested on suspicion. Hickey told a revolting story of how Christopher Merry choked and beat his wife a week ago last Friday. Then, finding it impossible to restore his wife to consciousness, Hickey says that Merry decided to put her "out of her misery" by beating out her brains with a poker.

The horrible story told by Hickey was extorted from him after hours of questioning in the "sweatbox." Late yesterday afternoon he led a party of police to an uninhabited portion of the city, near Eighty-seventh street and Western avenue, where Mrs. Merry's body was found buried beneath a few inches of loose dirt by the roadside.

The disappearance of Mrs. Merry excited almost as much interest as that of Mrs. Luetgert. A week ago the police learned that she had been made away with by her husband at his cottage in hope street. Merry was a peddler and owned several horses. When the police began their investigation a 3-year-old son of Merry's told them that his father had killed his mother and had lowered her body through a trap door into the cellar. Following this clue it was found that Merry had driven away from his place Saturday morning with a covered wagon but no further trace of him has been discovered.

Thomas Hickey, an employee of the stable where Merry kept his horses, was put in the sweatbox and yesterday confessed that he and James Smith had been present when Merry beat and choked his wife. The three men sat up Friday night and tried to restore Mrs. Merry. On Saturday morning, he says, decided to kill his wife, which he did with a poker. The body was carted away and Merry, though still in the city, has successfully eluded the police.

MINE EXPLOSION.

Carelessness Causes a Disaster in Which One Man Is Killed.

SHARON, Penn., Nov. 29.—A terrific dynamite explosion at the Rose coal mine, at Brookfield, O., two miles west of here, Saturday, resulted in the death of Manager William Mazy and probably a fatal injury to William Williams a miner. Two days before Mazy placed two dynamite caps in a crevice ready for explosion, but through the neglect of the workmen the fuse had never been lit. Mazy, with two other workmen, undertook to dislodge them with picks.

Mazy struck the explosive with the sharp pick, and it was discharged. He was hurled 50 feet, his face was blown entirely off, and his body almost torn in shreds. Williams' body was cut and lacerated in a terrible manner. The dead man was 55 years of age and was married. Williams' recovery is doubtful. William Jeremiah, another miner, was working with Mazy and Williams, but escaped without a scratch.

AUSTRIAN MINISTRY RESIGNS.

VIENNA, Nov. 29.—The members of the Austrian ministry have tendered their resignations to Emperor Francis Joseph, who accepted them and entrusted Baron Gauthsch, who holds the portfolio of public instruction of the retiring ministry, with the task of forming a new cabinet.

MILLION OF BUSHELS OF COAL SHIPPED.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 29.—Over 1,000,000 bushels of coal left this port yesterday for southern markets. There are in the neighborhood of 8,000,000 bushels loaded, awaiting shipment and it is expected, between 5,000,000 and 6,000,000 will get out on the present rise.

SPAIN'S CAUSE LOST.

PROSPECTS OF CONQUERING CUBA ARE HOPELESS.

SPANISH OFFICERS ADMIT IT.

A CUBAN REFUGEE JUST RELEASED FROM A SPANISH PRISON TELLS SOMETHING OF THE WAR IN CUBA—SIXTEEN HUNDRED AMERICAN CITIZENS IN CUBA LIVING ON CHARITY. CUBANS SCORN AUTONOMY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Dr. Agramonte, one of the Cuban refugees who has just arrived here said that many of the Spanish officers had admitted to him that their cause was hopeless—completely lost. He said that the hardships he had undergone since leaving this city Feb. 28, 1895, were simply indescribable. The men in the expedition, he described, as of fine physique. The expedition cost the least and had the most brilliant results.

He arrived at Costa Rica March 25,

and the other expedition started from Port Limon with General Maceo and his band on March 30 of that year. In the party, besides Generals Antonio Maceo and Jose Maceo, were Generals Cebreco and Flor Crombet. They reached Duava, Cuba, in a storm and during a high tide. The surf was unusually rough, and the tide floated their vessel on the coast. That is the way the party landed at Duava. With rifles in hand they jumped ashore and ran to dry ground. This was on April 2. Twelve days later Agramonte was captured at Guantnamo.

Up to this time there had been four fights, in the first of which one Spaniard was killed and 10 wounded. The guide had betrayed them, after receiving \$25 for his services. General Crombet died April 12, 1895.

After his capture Dr. Agramonte was taken to Felicidad. Here the prisoners were brutally treated. Orders were given that at the first appearance of the enemy the heads of the prisoners should be cut off. They were taken to the Morrow castle prison at Santiago de Cuba. There were 10 Cubans at Morrow castle, among them General Goronza, aged 65 years, and who, it is said, is being literally killed, step by step.

AMERICAN BOUNTY.

SIXTEEN HUNDRED AMERICAN CITIZENS IN CUBA LIVING ON CHARITY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Censal General Lee has made a report to the secretary of state in which he says that there are 1,607 American citizens in Cuba dependent upon charitable assistance. They have been partly provided for out of the \$50,000 appropriated by congress.

General Lee says that in making provision for the relief of these citizens more than \$1,500 a week must be expended. He has drawn \$25,000 of the sum appropriated, of which two drafts for \$5,000 each were drawn this month. He expresses the opinion that a considerable time must elapse before the indigents will be self-sustaining.

EFFECTS OF THE SPANISH DECREES.

MADRID, Nov. 29.—The decrees have been received with conflicting impressions, but most Spaniards are disposed to accept the change as dictated by the necessities of the situation. Marshal Martinez Campos warmly approves the decrees and is willing to go to Cuba if necessary. General Azacarraga reserves his opinion until he sees the effect of them upon the rebellion. The Carlist organ, *El Correo Espanol*, describes the decrees as "national treason." The organ of the extreme Conservatives, *La Nacional*, asks whether the nation will tolerate such a policy. The nation will tolerate such a policy.

Both these papers will be prosecuted for their utterances.

Autonomy Scorned by Cubans.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Tomas Estrada Palma, the Cuban delegate in this city, speaking on the terms of the autonomy decrees, said: "These propositions were scorned in advance of their presentation. They can receive no consideration now. With Cuba it is as it has been since the war began, and will be until it ends—indpendence or death."

HAWAII AND JAPAN.

THEIR DIFFERENCE SHOULD BE SETTLED BEFORE ANNEXATION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29.—The latest information from Honolulu says:

Advices just received from Japan state that no progress has been made in the negotiations about the emigrant affair, owing to the fact that Hawaii sticks invariably to the policy of procrastination in the hope, it is claimed, of transferring the responsibility of paying the compensation to the United States, but not affecting the proposed annexation.

At this juncture another difficulty has sprung up. A certain emigrant company in Honolulu has unlawfully appropriated the deposit money of the immigrants, and Minister Shimamura attempted to bring the matter before that tribunal.

While matters stand in this way in Hawaii the relations of Japan with the United States have become more friendly, and the latter is inclined to advise the Hawaiian government to pay the indemnity at once to Japan if it really desires the annexation of Hawaii to the United States.

Senator Pottigrew of South Dakota and ex-Senator Dubois of Idaho will leave for San Francisco on this steamer. Both men are practically against annexation. It is a change of front on the part of Dubois. Who he was a member of the Senate, L. A. Thurston, who was then Hawaiian minister at Washington.

ton, remarked and repeated frequently that Senator Dubois was one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the annexation proposal.

Colonel Chipley of Florida Ill.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Colonel W. D. Chipley of Florida, who was operated on for a carbuncle several days ago, is in a very critical condition and it is feared that his illness will terminate fatally. Mrs. Chipley and the colonel's son and daughter have arrived in the city.

WENT THERE TO FIGHT.

HOW TWO AMERICANS WERE BUTCHERED IN THE CONGO FREE STATE.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A startling and horrible story of the killing of two Washingtonians and the mutilation of their bodies by the natives of the Congo Free State, has just been received here in a letter to Mr. Leo Harmon of 1723 Ninth street, Northwest. The men were members of a party who, during November and December, 1894, and January, 1895, went from this city to enlist in the Belgian army for services in the Congo State.

Those enlisting included Edward Thornton, a commissioned officer of the National Fencibles, employed in the war department; Lindsay G. Burke, Frank Batchelor, Harry R. Andrews, Barry Sparlin and a Mr. Mellin, or Mellin, who was at one time a non-commissioned officer of the United States army. All except Thornton and Mellin were members of the national guard of the district.

The information received by Mr. Harmon is that Burke and a party of 50 natives, who were sent out to dislodge a band of dwarfs who had revolted, were ambushed and killed. An Arab who was with the command, but who was some distance off at the time of the ambuscade, states that he knows Burke was dead before the natives reached him, and that the most hideous looking little man he ever saw walked up and cut Burke's head off with one blow of a knife.

The chief then began to slice pieces off his legs and arms and distribute them among his followers. There were so many of the fiends that the pieces were very small, and before they had concluded there was a free fight to see who could get the little remaining. In some manner the dwarfs became alarmed and left the place, one fellow carrying off Burke's arm. The Arab saw the cause of their alarm as Windey, a New Yorker, who had command of another detachment of soldiers, sent out on the same errand, arrived soon after the natives departed. Windey gathered up the remains of Burke and buried them. When Windey learned the strength of the rebels he hurried back to Michan and notified the commandant of the post.

The other Washington who lost his life was killed on March 1, when the troops under the command of Baron Dhanis revolted near Kabanbarra and assassinated a number of officers of their regiments, among them being Mellin. The body of Mellin was butchered almost beyond recognition, his heart having been cut out and burned, so that his courage could not again be used against the rebels by the whites. It is their belief that unless the heart is burned and the ashes scattered to the four winds the spirit of the man deserts to his brethren.

Thornton is said to be in a very precarious situation at Basaka, but a relief expedition has been sent to his rescue.

Gage, another American, is very sick with the fever at Nyangue.

The killing of Burke and Mellin occurred in December, 1896.

MAIL ROBBER ARRESTED.

ONE OF PITTSBURG'S LETTER CARRIERS CONFESSIONS HIS GUILT.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 29.—Postoffice Inspectors Gorman and Owings made an arrest last night which they believe will lead to the unearthing of a gang of mail robbers. John C. Hutchinson, who has been a letter carrier in the Pittsburgh postoffice since 1889, was detected in the act of taking a letter containing \$12 from the street box at Smithfield and Diamond streets. He was allowed to go to the office, one block distant, with his grip, and was arrested when leaving the office, a very short time later. The letter and money were found on his person.

The decoy letter had been sealed with sealing wax before being deposited in the box. When taken from Hutchinson the seal was apparently intact, yet the money was in his hand tightly rolled into a wad. Hutchinson broke down and confessed his guilt. He implicates no accomplices, but the officials feel certain there are others who have been working with Hutchinson in a systematic rifling of letters, and more arrests are expected.

IRISH POSTAGE REDUCED.

TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 29.—At a political meeting held in this city Saturday night, William Patterson, minister of customs, stated that he had been authorized by the postmaster general of Canada to announce that on and after the 1st of January, next, the rate of postage on letters from Canada to all parts of the British empire would be 3 cents for one ounce. At present the rate on letters to Great Britain is 5 cents per half ounce and corresponding higher to other and more distant parts of the empire.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The towing schooner Australia was launched at South Chicago Saturday, and when finally completed will be the largest cargo carrier on the lakes. Her dimensions are: Length over all, 388 feet; 376 feet; beam, 48 feet; depth, 26 feet. She has 12 cargo hatches and will carry 6,500 tons.

At Holy Head tugs and a lifeboat rescued with great difficulty the crew of the Nova Scotian bark Alert, which was in danger of running on the rocks. The wreck of Lord Nelson's old flag ship, the *Pondroyant*, supposed to be firmly imbedded off Blackpool, has been dashed to pieces.

The gale has been felt generally along the English coast, but only a few

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INDICATIONS.—Threatening weather; probably showers; cooler Monday night, brisk southerly winds becoming northerly.

A PROTEST.

The Colored Folks Don't Want Any More Civil Service Examinations For Postal Clerk at This Place.

FRANKFORT, KY., Nov. 27.—The State Normal School has sent the following to the President.

"We, the faculty and students of this institution, protest against the giving of another civil service examination at Maysville, Ky., for the purpose of preventing our fellow student, Mr. Leander Davis from obtaining a clerkship in the postoffice in that city, which he has won fairly by a competitive examination under the civil service rules. We hope that merit rather than color may continue to be the chief meritorious, as well as destructive, feature of the civil service board of examinations."

Harrison-Meng Nuptials.

Bourbon News: "The nuptials of Mr. Ellwood Garrett Harrison and Miss Malvina Meng were celebrated in a pretty home wedding at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of the bride. The marriage anthem was sung by Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, of Mason, and the ceremony was performed by Elder Donaldson. The attendants were Mr. Clarence Frazer, of Covington, and Miss Marian Wormald, of Maysville. The bride, who is the handsome daughter of Mr. Charles Meng, a prominent citizen of Bourbon, was very becomingly costumed in a tailor-made suit of brown broadcloth with hat and gloves en suit."

In Cases of Diphtheria.

The Scientific American gives this treatment for diphtheria: "At the first indication of diphtheria in the throat of a child make the room close, then take a cup and pour into it a quantity of tar and turpentine, equal parts; then hold the cup over a fire, so as to fill the rooms with fumes. The little patient on inhaling the fumes will cough up and spit out all membranous matter and the diphtheria will pass out. The fumes of the tar and turpentine loosen the matter in the throat and thus afford the relief that has baffled the skill of physicians."

Homeseeker's Excursions.

On November 19th and December 7th and 21st, the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets from Maysville to certain points in Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Wisconsin and Wyoming at one fare plus \$2. Limit of ticket twenty-one days. For further information see C. and O. agent.

TURNPIKE RAIDERS.

They Demolished the Gate at Helena Saturday Night and Partially Wrecked the House.

A gang of turnpike raiders destroyed the tollgate on the Helena and Maysville pike, kept by Mr. T. F. Kiff, Saturday night.

They then destroyed the porch of the tollhouse, battered down the doors and cut them to pieces, and left with the statement that if they had to return again they would blow the house up.

The gate is located, or was, right in the town of Helena. Mr. Kiff does not live in it, and was not present when the raiders were at work.

The raiders destroyed this gate on Wednesday night of last week, and also cut it down a few months ago.

After leaving Helena Saturday night they came down on the Maysville and Mt. Sterling pike and destroyed the gate south of Lewisburg.

City Taxes.

Tuesday, November 30, is the last day to save the 10 per cent. penalty.

JAMES W. FITZGERALD, City Treas. Office, Keith, Schroder & Co.

TOBACCO INSURANCE.—J. C. Everett.

A Clever Trick.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Any body can try it who has lame back and weak kidneys, malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medicine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to the liver and kidneys, is a blood purifier, headache, fainting spells, sleeplessness and melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its natural vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed. Only see a bottle at J. Jas. Wood's drug store.

A BAD MAN

With His Gun Finally Went to Death With His Boots On—A Killing Near Mt. Sterling.

MT. STERLING, KY., Nov. 26.—A killing that has created wild excitement on account of the prominence of the parties occurred a mile from this city about 6 o'clock. Joe O. Embry, one of the wealthiest and most prominent farmers in this county, was the victim, and Lindsay Stull, a young tollgate keeper, the slayer. Stull had raised a crop of tobacco on Embry's farm, and was at the barn dividing the crop when Embry came from town this evening.

Embry had been drinking and commenced to abuse Stull, finally drawing his pistol and firing two shots at him. Stull returned the fire, shooting five bullets, only one of which struck Embry in the breast, killing him almost instantly.

Mr. Embry was known all over the State, and was a courteous gentleman when sober, but very quarrelsome and dangerous when drinking.

Several years ago at a hop in Paris he had a difficulty with James Mernaugh, present Chief of Police of that place. His pistol missed fire, and Mernaugh put several bullets into him, but none of them reached a fatal spot.

A year or so ago he again had a desperate fight with Ed. Gaitskill, a wealthy farmer of Clark County, at the Winchester depot. He stabbed Gaitskill a number of times, and Gaitskill hovered between life and death for months, finally recovering.

Stull is a quiet, unassuming young man, and says he was forced to do what he did. He gave himself up soon after the killing.

JAMES R. BRANCH.

One of the County's Well Known Citizens Answered the Final Summons Saturday.

Brief mention was made Saturday of the death of Mr. James R. Branch, which occurred that morning at 8 o'clock at his home, formerly known as the "Half-way House," near Lewisburg.

Mr. Branch was born on the 18th day of June, 1816, in Bath County. He moved from there to Nicholas County, and from Nicholas, in November, 1870, to the "Half-way House," where the rest of his days were spent. A widow and seven children survive, four sons and three daughters. Two sons and one daughter live in Mason County, one son in Fleming, one in Nicholas, one daughter in Bath and one in Clark County.

The funeral services occurred at the residence this morning at 10 o'clock, after which the remains were taken to Flemingsburg for burial.

Mahara's Minstrels.

There will be fun galore at the Washington Opera House to-morrow night when Mahara's Colored Minstrels will appear. The show is a very large one and the managers advise us that it is a great diversion from the ordinary minstrels.

It has always been the endeavor of Mahara's Brothers to have nothing but the best and plenty of it. We are assured the singing and dancing features, as well as comedians, are not to be excelled. There will be a sensational street parade at noon by the famous Darktown band, considered one of the finest traveling.

Tickets at Nelson's.

River News.

Captain Young has sold his fine little steamer, Lee H. Brooks, to Weigel Bros., of Elizabeth, Pa., for \$5,000.

Captain Edington's new boat the William Duffy will be placed in the Moscow and Manchester trade, passing up in forenoon and down in afternoon.

The bell on the Telegraph was made for the Telegraph No. 3 in 1853, was on the General Lytle when she exploded in 1866 and was on the City of Madison when she sank.

Y. M. C. A.

Miss Katherine McCoy rendered a delightful violin solo at the men's rally Sunday afternoon. Truly she is a master of the violin.

The last of the series of "loyalty" talks was made by Messrs. Allan D. Cole and H. E. Gabby, the former presenting the meaning of conscience and the latter what is implied in loyalty to conscience.

Altogether it was a very pleasing and profitable service.

The marriage of a young lady in Paducah a few days ago had some very unique features. The bridesmaids were all of different size, age, type and appearance as was possible to get them. The groom is a Presbyterian and the bride an Episcopalian. They were married, however, in a Methodist Church by a Baptist minister. The bride kissed all the groomsmen and the groom all the bridesmaids, and the groomsmen and bridesmaids all kissed each other.

Royal makes the best.



Your Winter Wants.

Black Capes in the kinds worth having—the sort that wears well and looks better—are not plenty. A streak of shrewd merchandising sends us a splendid selection of these much-sought garments. English Melton empire back, fur and braid ornamentation, \$3.50 to \$5. The balance of our Blue Jackets that we have been selling at \$10 is broken in sizes, so we propose to close them out at a broken price, \$6.50. Fine Cheviot and Kersey. The silk linings are in taffeta. If you can find one size you will also find a bargain.

BLACK GOODS.—Principals dominate. Mirror gloss Princella that abhors dust. Here too are silk and wool novelties, newest creation of French and German looms. There are inexpensive black goods, too; 50c. and down. Come and see these newest things. Bright sky light and plenty of it over the dress goods. There are no color shortcomings to hide in this store.

SILKS.—For the bride, the bridesmaid, the debutante, the matron; silk for all and every occasion. Black silk and satins. The rich black Duchesse, the Roman effect in stripes. The Scotch clan effect in plaids. Plain and changeable taffeta for waists and linings. Rich black velvets for capes and blouses. Plain colored velvets for the full gown and combinations. And as usual in this store, quality is never sacrificed to price.

D. HUNT & SON.

AN EX-MAYSVILLIAN.

Mr. John J. Wickham Writes of a Trip to Los Angeles—No Place Like Old Maysville.

The following received by Mr. John Porter will prove of interest to the many old friends of the writer:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
INDIAN SCHOOL SERVICE,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT,
PERIS, CAL., NOV. 14, 1897.

My Dear John: After my return from a trip to Los Angeles, Pasadena, San Bernardino and the Pacific Coast I found your papers here and I cannot fully tell you how well pleased I was to receive them, containing as they do so much of local news of "Our Old Kentucky Home." I went to Los Angeles for examination for the position of Superintendent in order to be able if necessary to cope with the civil service rules for admission to the service, in case that an opportunity of an appointment presented itself during the current year. I had a very, very pleasant trip. Los Angeles is an active Western city of about 103,000 inhabitants, situated within a few miles of the ocean, and it shows every mark of progress and prosperity. It is surrounded on all sides by a country of orange groves and palms. In short the vicinity of Los Angeles is a veritable "Eden." I may say that of all the country from here to both San Diego and Los Angeles. Near San Bernardino and Redlands and Riverside there are miles of oranges, dates, palms, olives and flowers, millions of dollars invested, and some of the most beautiful mansions to gaze on. There are of course plenty of rocky, barren hills between, yet the valleys are grand. I presume that all of your roses are "faded and gone" by now, while here in our garden we have every variety in full bloom, and the supply almost inexhaustible. I wish I could send you some safely to show you their beauty. Yet withal, John "mild pleasures and palaces, there's no place like home." The old Horseshoe Bend and the beautiful green hills surrounding old Maysville cannot be surpassed in all seasons, and I have seen a great many beautiful scenes in Europe and America during my twenty-two years of travel. I presume that everyone thinks their own home the best, and like all I may be partial, yet I firmly believe that no grander prospect can be seen than that which meets the eye going up or down the river at either "bend" when Maysville "hoves in sight."

Well, here I've gone on and filled your letter with a lot of sentiment and said but very little personal, but what can I say? Here I am, well and hearty, at thirty-seven years of age, struggling along, and doing it well under circumstances. My wife and family are in better health than when in Arizona and we all have gained much in weight. I tip the scales at 165 pounds, and never feel better or livelier. Can run a fool race, play foot ball and dance all night. I am up every a.m. at 5:30, and drill 180 pupils one hour and go and eat a hearty breakfast. It doesn't look as if you will have a job soon, John. Remember me to all old friends and with good wishes to yourself and family, thanking you for your many kind remembrances and asking you to write, I am as in days of yore, your earnest friend,

JOHN J. WICKHAM,
Formerly Acting Assistant Brevet Major, &c.,
d.c., of the old and only genuine and
original "Up Riley Club" of Maysville, Mason
County, Canetuckee. Take one on me. What
ever became of Mattie Evans?

WANTED—Five thousand fat turkeys.

R. B. LOVEL.

MASON CIRCUIT COURT.

Mary Clay's Administrator, Plaintiff.

vs. Notice to Creditors, Defendants.

All persons having claims against the estate of Mary Clay, deceased, are hereby notified to present and prove same before the undersigned, at his office, Court Street, Maysville, Ky., on or before December 1, 1897.

Witness my hand as Master Commissioner of the Mason Circuit Court, this November 15, 1897.
J. N. KEHUE, M. C. M. C. C.

THE SEASON IS NOW AT HAND TO

Buy You a Heating STOVE.

Call and see our line that we are sole agents for. Moore's Air-tight, Estate Radiators, Peninsular Radiators, Garland and Favorite Base Burners, Model, Favorite and Estate Oaks. All goods found in a first-class stove store.

McClanahan & Shea

41 W. Second Street, Maysville, Ky.

EDON'TS

Miss This Special

99c.

GENUINE UNDRESSED KID GLOVES.

One dollar and fifty cents was the price. Want to close out what is left. The colors are Navy Blue, Brown and Cardinal Red. The sizes are 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2, 7 1/2 and 8 1/2.

NESBITT & CO

PHONE 163

THE MAYSVILLE

Power Laundry

Makes a specialty of Blankets and Flannel Underwear, and guarantees them not to shrink. If you appreciate good laundry work, give your bundle to the YELLOW wagon.

WILSON & BASKET

Removed

To our new Coal Docks, 302 E. Second street, and will sell SEMI-CANNEL and KANAWHA COAL at prices others ask for Pomeroy Coal.

WM. DAVIS,

PHONE 60.

Orders will receive prompt attention if left at McCarron's Jewelry Store or Tom Guilloyle's.

Notice!

The stockholders and directors of the Maysville and Lexington Turnpike Company will meet at the office of Pickett, Resor & Co., on Court street in Maysville SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27th, 1897, at 10 a.m. for the purpose of authorizing a transfer of stock and roadbed to the several counties through which the road passes. A full attendance is requested.

W. W. BALDWIN, President.

LINGENFELSER BROS.

Daily Meat Market!

Fresh Meats, all kinds, always on hand. Meat delivered to any part of the city. Phone 38.

FOUND.

FOUND—An umbrella Tuesday night at the opera house. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying charges.

26-3d

The Bee Hive!

We are offering values that approach the phenomenal!

Our new BARGAIN TABLE in center aisle, near elevator, will contain each week some princely bargains. Look for them; they will save you money. No store in Kentucky can duplicate our prices and qualities combined.

For a starter, we place on our bargain table this week fifty dozen Men's Seamless Socks, close ribbed tops, at 3c. a pair.

Something new: Men's Outing Flannel Night Gowns, well made, soft and warm, 50c. each.

Kid Gloves, some odds and ends, black, sizes 5 $\frac{1}{2}$, 6, and 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ only, sold at 50 to 75c. To close them out quick, we make the price on this lot 14c. a pair.

HANDKERCHIEFS.—Our line is great. Child's School Handkerchiefs as low as 1c. each; better ones two for 5c. Our 5c. line of Handkerchiefs are scalloped and embroidered, all big value. Men's Silk Embroidered Initial Japonet Handkerchiefs 15c., fully worth 25c.

Boys' Drawers, sizes 24 and 26 only, weights sanitary, regular price 50c., new price 35c. to close.

All Wool Blankets, red and gray, big size and strictly pure wool, \$1.98 a pair. These are well worth \$3.00.

Henry Tetlow's Gossamer Face Powder, this week only, 14c. a box, regular price 25c.

ROSENAU BROS

PROPRIETORS BEE HIVE

MAYSVILLE AND LEXINGTON.

The Famous Old Turnpike to Be Conveyed to the Counties Through Which It Passes.

At a meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Maysville and Lexington Turnpike Company held in this city Saturday, the Board of Directors through the President, Colonel W. W. Baldwin, was empowered, authorized and directed to convey to the Fiscal Courts of Fleming, Nicholas, Bourbon and Fayette counties that portion of the road in each county, respectively.

Out of the 3874 shares of stock in the company 2964 were represented. Of the total number of shares the State owns 1937. These were represented by Colonel Baldwin, who had been authorized by Governor Bradley to look after the State's interests.

The price for the Fayette County portion of the road is \$1,863 per mile, the company retaining all the tollgate property in said county.

Bonbon County is to pay \$20,333.33, and the stock held by said county, amounting to 103 shares; also the stock held by the city of Paris, consisting of 40 shares. The road is to be leased to the county at so much per year until the purchase price is raised by the issue of bonds.

The company retains all the tollgate property in said county.

Fleming County is to pay \$5,000 for her portion of the road, the company retaining all the tollgate property.

Nicholas County is to pay \$24,500 for her portion of the road, including the bridge across Licking river, and all the toll houses and lots in said county, except the one at Forest Retreat and the one next to Millersburg.

The Board of Directors through the President was also authorized to negotiate a sale or lease of that portion of the road in Mason County, including tollgate property therein situated, upon such terms as he deems advisable, and to execute and deliver proper conveyance or lease to carry out any sale or letting he may make.

There are about eight miles of pike in Fayette, sixteen in Bourbon, fourteen in Nicholas, five in Fleming and about sixteen in Mason County.

Last Notice to Taxpayers.

All taxes not paid before December 1st, 1897, there will be a penalty of 6 per cent. added, and advertised for sale, without further notice. So please call at office and settle, thereby save costs of advertising. Respectfully,

J. O. JEFFERSON, S. M. C.

FIRE IN "CULBERTSON."

One-story Frame Cottage Belonging to Mr. Lee Williams Burned Saturday Night.

The blowing of the pulley factory whistle about 10:30 o'clock Saturday night, and the blaze lighting up that neighborhood caused many down-town citizens to fear the factory was on fire. Fortunately such was not the case.

The fire was in a small one-story frame cottage in "Culbertson," some distance west of the factory. The building was almost burned to the ground before the department could reach the scene.

The loss amounts to about \$700, and is covered by an insurance of \$400.

The building was unoccupied, and the fire was evidently the work of an incendiary.

You can get a quick meal at Roper's at any hour.

Honest
Merchandise
Will Always Win.

Among our many faithful patrons the most faithful are those who, at some time or other, fall into the snare of dropping into one of the Clothing houses that advertise to sell \$15 Suits for \$6.98. It is a noted fact with the Clothing trade, and WE ARE PROUD TO SAY IT, that we are credited, and justly so, for carrying a stock of

Clothing,
Gents' Furnishings
and
Men's Shoes

that is not equaled in the State. To Wear a Hechingen Suit is a Sure index that you are properly clad, and when you wear a pair of Smith and Stoughton Shoes you not only display elegance in your footwear, but you also enjoy the comfort that only high-class Shoes afford. Withal, our prices are so moderate considering qualities, that you owe it to yourself to investigate us when you want to buy.

Our
Stock of
Suits and Overcoats

is represented only by the best of manufacturers in the country, and that it pays us and you to deal in honest merchandise is evidenced by the fact that

We do the
Clothing Business
of Maysville.

It goes without saying that our line of FINE MEN'S SHOES is THE line. A glance into our Shoe window is all that is needed to convince you we are right.

HECHINGER
& CO.,

Dealers in Honest Merchandise.

DRESS GOODS

AND JACKETS

Some new and Desirable things in plain and novelties, all wool, at 25 cents.

Plain Serge, Granite Cloth, Boucl and Novelty in all the new combinations at 40 and 50c. per yard.

Do not forget that we are showing the handsomest line of Wraps in the city. We are prepared to suit all in both price and style, from a neat stylish Jacket at \$3 to a silk lined Kersey or Novelty at \$20. Cloth Capes from \$2 up. Beautiful Plush Capes, \$5, \$6 and \$7.50. Children's Jackets at \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5.00.

BROWNING & CO.

CAPES and JACKETS

Are going with a rush at the NEW YORK STORE of Hays & Co. Why should they not? We have got the line and the price. Another lot just received.

Thirty-seven Black Cloth Capes, fur trimmed, \$1.23, worth \$2.

Twenty-three elegant Black Beaver Cloth Capes, braided and beaded, \$1.95, worth \$3.

Extra heavy fine Beaver Box-plaited, \$2.69, worth \$4.50.

A splendid line of Plush Capes, plain fur trimming and beaded, from \$2.60 up to the best.

Before purchasing, inspect our line.

HAYS & CO.

NEW YORK STORE

We Can Save You Money on Clothing, Shoes, Underwear.

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00. *****

F. B. RANSON & CO.

OYSTERS and celery at O'Keefe's.

New crop N. O. molasses, Calhoun's.

Go to The Roper for egg-nog and tom-and-jerry.

TRY New England peanut taffee at Geo. H. Heiser's.

CRANBERRIES, figs, dates and fruit of all kinds at Jno. O'Keefe's.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Pickett & Respass, successors to Duley & Baldwin.

CAN and bulk oysters direct from Baltimore and West Point at Jno. O'Keefe's.

RAY's Elite prevents chapping, keeps the skin soft and smooth. At postoffice drug store.

"A BAGGAGE CHECK" company, here a few days ago, have checked their baggage back to New York and quit business. It was not a success.

THE Chesapeake and Ohio gross earnings for the third week of November, show an increase of \$16,293 over those for the corresponding week of last year.

REV. SAMUEL B. MORSE, D. D., late President of California College, died of pneumonia at his home in Oakland, Cal., November 15th, aged sixty-four years. Rev. Morse was a man of wide culture and had traveled extensively. He leaves a wife, who is a sister of Sam J. Nower, of Dover, and a son and two daughters.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S

Chocolate High Shoes

J. HENRY PECOR.

WANTED.

Two good white girls—no washing, ironing and no children to take care of. Apply at this office.

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TELEGRAPH TAPS.

Condensed News Items From Different Parts of the Globe.

Darwin Johnson's country home, near Louisville, was burned. Loss, \$20,000.

Henry Crow of Washington county, Ind., is under arrest on a counterfeiting charge.

Mrs. Adrian Iselin, Sr., died Saturday night at her home in New York city, aged 77 years.

Orlie Dawes, Charles Schaefer and Charles Owens escaped from jail at Sandusky, O.

Moonshine camps in Mercer and Raleigh counties, W. Va., have been broken up.

Deputy Sheriff C. A. Howell's wife was found dead in bed in Putnam county, West Virginia.

Seven independent telephone companies of Indiana have combined to fight the Bell in Indianapolis.

S. E. Hart of Kent, O., was killed by a Luke Shore and Michigan Southern train at Elkhart, Ind.

Alexander Wilhelm a prominent attorney of South Bend, Ind., has disappeared. He was heavily in debt.

Almost all the miners in the southern Illinois district have returned to work after a five month's idleness.

The Mitchell Machine company, at Kendallville, Ind., has failed. Liabilities about \$5,000; assets unknown.

A party of boys from Ironton, O., crossed the Ohio river for a hunt. Morgan Hibler shot Frank Frazier in the abdomen. He died.

Walter Moore, a sawyer at Regan Mills, near Frankfort, Ind., was instantly killed Saturday. The saw burst and his body was cut in twain.

Steps are being taken in St. Louis to establish a line of steel barges to operate on the Mississippi river between that city and the gulf.

John Rankin, a prominent citizen of Austin, Tex., was shot by Policeman Jim Grizzard over a political difference. Rankin can not recover.

At Graham, W. Va., Will White was accidentally shot and killed by Harry Warren. The entire load of a shotgun entered the body of White.

George Sutars has been arrested at Portsmouth, O., for alleged perjury in the trial of Dr. A. L. Abbott, on charge of murdering George Englehart.

Solomon Davis, a clothing merchant of Johnstown, O., has made an assignment to Attorney Charles W. Miller. The assets and liabilities are not given.

Miss Della Rutherford, a popular and accomplished young lady, daughter of one of the most prominent families of Ritchie county, W. Va., has disappeared.

L. Roswell Hurt Rochester, treasurer of the Western Union Telegraph company, died suddenly at his home in Englewood, N. J., Sunday night, aged 40 years.

Fire destroyed the Atlantic block at Jimestown, N. Y. Walter L. Sessions, August J. Jordon and Ray Voss were burned to death. The property loss was small.

At Mason, Mich., Scott A. Bowditch shot his 10-year-old daughter, fatally wounding her, and then shot and killed himself. Bowditch was out of work and discouraged.

George Taylor, a miner in the McGregor mines, near St. Clairsville, O., was crushed by falling soapstone. He will die. Young Taylor is a son of Samuel Taylor, a farmer.

At Broadhead, Rockcastle county, Ky., Willie Hamm, son of James Hamm, was roasted to death, and Johnnie Gilpin, son of Thimay Gilpin, was seriously burned by falling into the fire.

Hunters on the Deffenbaugh farm, near the city limits of Kokomo, Ind., shot a wolf of the coyote variety, the animal being asleep under a bridge when found. It measured six feet in length.

Edward Moore of Pittsburgh was shot and killed by his wife, Sarah. Jealousy is the supposed cause of the shooting as the couple had not been living together for some time. Mrs. Moore was arrested.

The M. E. church at Cambridge, O., was entirely destroyed by fire, together with the household goods of Rev. Dr. Pope, which were stored in the basement. Loss on the church property \$8,000; insurance, \$12,000.

An attempt was made to rob the bank at North Amherst, O., but the robbers were surprised and one of them captured. He gave his name as Thomas Fahy and Ashtabula, O., as his home. The other robber escaped.

Dollars, better in the quantity of silver they contain than those turned out by the United States mints, are in circulation in San Francisco. The bogus coin passes current at the banks and can only be detected by experts.

Both legs of Edward Early, colored, 22, were crushed by a freight train at Ashland, Ky., from the effects of which he died. He attempted to board a moving train to go to Russell, where he was employed, but missed his footing.

One man was killed and three others seriously injured by the collapse of three floors of the building occupied by the Armour company as a beef packing establishment in Wilmington, Del. James F. Smith, aged 40 years, was crushed to death.

Charles H. Bee, aged 25, a freight conductor on the West Virginia and Pittsburgh railroad, while stepping from one car to another, at Clarksburg, W. Va., fell between them receiving injuries from which he died within a few hours. His home was at West Union.

Patrick Hartford, one of the Chicago policemen injured in the Haymarket riot, and a pensioner of the police department of that city, is dead. Hartford was shot in the right leg and left thigh and had three toes of the left foot blown off by the explosion of a bomb. His wounds eventually caused his death.

An attempt was made on the life of John Donald and family at Higginsport, O. Some unknown party fired five shots in rapid succession through the window in their home, in the west end of town. The first shot struck just a few inches above Mrs. Donald's head, and the second hit a clock a few feet away.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 29.—Charles C. McCloud, a manufacturer well known all over the country, died at the city hospital last night from a self-inflicted wound. He cut his throat Friday night with suicidal intent.

BOILER EXPLOSION.

One Man Killed and Five Others Badly Injured, One Probably Fatally.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 29.—One man, John Mullen, was killed, and five others badly injured yesterday evening, the result of boiler explosion at the old Moorehead & McClean blast furnace, operated by Laughlin & Company. The injured are: Seaford Armes, foreman; John Pierpont, John Karzy, William McCarthy, firemen, and a colored man, name not known.

Mullen died shortly after the accident after suffering intense agony. His body was literally cooked by the escaping steam.

Armes' face, arms and legs are badly scalded. His condition is critical.

The others will recover. The cause of the explosion is a mystery.

LUETGERT'S TRIAL CONTINUED.

His Old Attorney Withdraws From the Case and the New Ones Not Postponed.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Attorney Albert Phalen, who became prominent through his connection with the defense of Adolph Luetgert and who was to have been chief counsel for the sanguicidemaker in his second trial, withdrew from the case yesterday. His withdrawal was due to the retention of Attorneys Harmon and Riese as assistants in the case, contrary to his advice.

The case will be called before Judge Gary today. Attorneys Harmon and Riese will announce the retirement of Mr. Phalen and ask for a further continuance on the ground that they are not familiar with the case.

Farmer Killed by a Farmhand.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 29.—Anos Haveland, a farmer, living near Allentown, was killed yesterday afternoon by Clarence Doyle, a farmhand. The men were visiting Haveland's son, who is a farmer at Windsor, about 10 miles from here. They had been drinking hard cider and got into a quarrel over Haveland's wife. Doyle struck Haveland in the head with an ax and he died two hours later. Doyle is still at large.

Lake Steamer Ashore.

PEQUAMING, Mich., Nov. 29.—For two and a half days the steamer H. E. Runnels has been ashore on the end of Point Abbaye. There was no passing boat happened along, so finally the mate and his companion volunteered to start for Pequaming. The rest of the crew are supposed to be safe. The tug Colton and lighter have gone to her assistance.

Young Man Clubbed to Death.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—James Kennedy, a young man, died last night at a hospital from the effects of a clubbing he had received early in the day from Policeman Henry Woody. The latter admits the clubbing of Kennedy, but says that he had been attacked by the young man and three of his friends and was forced to defend himself.

Saved by the Life Saving Crew.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 29.—The two-masted schooner Henry Finch of New York stranded just before midnight last night a short distance below Barnegat. Her position was a dangerous one, and Captain Gaskill and the life saving crew soon had the lifeboat afloat, and after some hard work, succeeded in getting the shipwrecked crew ashore.

Another Football Victim.

BATH, N. Y., Nov. 29.—James W. Loveridge, who was injured in a football game at Hammondsport Thanksgiving afternoon, died here yesterday. His death is supposed to be due to a kick in the stomach received at the game. He was 19 years old.

Warning.

The public will take notice that they must not use the tracks of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co. in Maysville, Ky., as a passway. Double tracks are being operated and the use of the tracks as a passway is dangerous and will not be permitted.

C. AND O. RY. CO.,
By Geo. W. Lewis, Supt.

The unveiling of the monument to Walter Scott at Mayslick Saturday attracted a large crowd. The addresses were delivered at the Christian Church. The hospitality of the good people of Mayslick knows no bounds and visitors were handsomely entertained.

Notice!

Persons having repair work will please call and settle with same within thirty days, or same will be sold for charges.

HENRY ORT.

New Retail Cash Grocery.

Pay cash for corn and hay—204 Sutton street. BURGESS' GROCERY EXCHANGE.

How to Make Date Bread.

To a half pint of very light white flour sponge add a tablespoonful of brown sugar and enough whole wheat flour to make a very stiff batter. Stir into this a cupful of stoned dates, turn into a greased bread pan and when light bake for an hour in a moderate oven.

Why not have photographs for Christmas? Many of your friends would welcome a gift from this paper. If you want good photographs they will be all the more valuable. We give you photos that are excellent in likeness and finish, and you enjoy giving while your friends enjoy receiving them. Come now.

PERSONAL.

Mr. William Remington, of the Paris Kentuckian-Citizen, was in town Saturday.

Rev. F. W. Harrop has been in Cincinnati a few days attending the Epworth League district convention.

Miss Louise Condit, of Ashland, left for home Saturday after a visit to Mrs. Tillie Ranson, of West Second street.

Mr. Harry Pangburn, a student of the Ohio Medical College at Cincinnati, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Pangburn.

Col. Richard Dawson will leave Wednesday for a month's stay at Carrollton, Carroll County, Mo., looking after his plantation in that section.

Mr. M. C. Russell returned last night after a pleasant visit to Colonel and Mrs. F. S. Andrews, of Findlay, O. Mrs. Russell will remain some days longer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sidwell returned Friday night from their bridal trip to Huntington, West Virginia, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Chamberlain Saturday.

LOADED shells, powder and shot, at O'Keefe's.

The Greatest Discovery Yet.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain cure for coughs, colds, whooping cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at J. Jas. Wood's drug store.

CINCINNATI TOBACCO MARKET.

No Change of Importance and Not Much Expected Until After the Holidays.

1897. 1896.
Hhds. Hhds.
Offerings for the week..... 1,075 1,787
Rejections..... 429 4.7

Actual sales..... 916 1,370

Receipts..... 1,275 1,020

Offerings year to date..... 9,188 90,543

Rejections..... 21,573 25,495

Actual sales..... 56,553 65,051

Receipts..... 75,292 61,901

The Cincinnati Leaf Tobacco Warehouse Company, in its circular for the week, has the following:

There has been no change of importance in the tobacco trade the past week. Prices started on Tuesday about the same as were obtained on the previous Friday, although some grades fluctuated, but we thought the light, which was bad, had something to do with it. The sales on Wednesday, which closed the sales for the week on account of Thanksgiving day, were much larger and a better grade of tobacco, which was a stimulant to the buyers. The bidding was more active and the sales closed with what can be termed a steady market, with prices about the same that has been obtained for the past three weeks.

The holidays being so close we can hardly expect much change now until after they are over. The next year will probably be ushered in with changes. Some think there will be a stronger demand and much higher prices, while others quote the short crop of 1887, when the market declined fully one-half after the holidays, but it must be remembered that prices then were much higher than at the present time, and that present prices are not fancy prices and only about what the growers should obtain yearly to make a reasonable profit on their labor. We shall not predict the future market, but will await for time to tell.

Retail Market.

GREEN COFFEE—lb.	15 60
MOLASSES—new crop, \$1 gallon.	60 60
Goldene Syrup.....	50 40
Sorghum, fancy new.....	65 55
SUGAR—Yellow, \$1.00	45 50
Extra C. S. 100	5 5/4
A, 100	5 5/4
Granulated, 100	5 1/2
Powdered, 100	5 1/2
COKE—100 lb.	50 50
DOAL OIL—Headlight, \$1 gallon.	12 12
BACON—Breakfast, \$1.00	10 10
COLD BACON—100	8 9
HAMS, 100	12 18
Shoulders, 100	8 8
BEEF—100 lb.	15 60
CHICKENS—Each	15 25
EGGS—12 dozen	60 20
FLOUR—Limestone, \$1 barrel.	5 75
Old Gold, \$1 barrel.	5 75
Maysville Fancy, \$1 barrel.	5 25
Mountain Fancy, \$1 barrel.	5 25
Morning Glory, \$1 barrel.	5 25
Roller & King, \$1 barrel.	5 25
Magnolia, \$1 barrel.	5 25
Bone Gras, \$1 barrel.	5 75
Graham, \$1 sack.	12 15
ONIONS—100	25
POTATOES—100 lbs.	20
HONEY—10 lb.	10 12 1/2

.....DO YOU.....

Look Out...

For my big Holiday special. It will be a hummer. The largest and cleanest stock; the most varied assortment;

the best goods and the lowest prices.

Headquarters for everything good to eat, including Poultry of all kinds,

Game, Oysters, Celery, Cranberries and all kinds of Domestic and Foreign

Fruits.

FIREWORKS AND CANDIES FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE BY THE TON.

Special invitation to everybody to call and get one of my Photo Tickets. It will secure you a Five Dollar Photograph for the small sum of 98 cents. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge for delivery.

R. B. LOVEL,

THE LEADING GROCER.....

WASHINGTON OPERA HOUSE

TUESDAY, November 30th

Mahara's

Mammoth